

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 543

January Session, 2017



Referred to Committee on INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE

Introduced by: SEN. SOMERS, 18th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR INPATIENT SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT PROGRAMS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That title 38a of the general statutes be amended to require that any
- 2 insurer, health care center, fraternal benefit society, hospital service
- 3 corporation, medical service corporation or other entity delivering,
- 4 issuing for delivery, renewing, amending or continuing a health
- 5 insurance policy in this state cover inpatient substance abuse treatment
- 6 programs not less than fourteen days in duration.

Statement of Purpose:

To require insurance coverage of inpatient substance abuse treatment programs not less than fourteen days in duration.

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